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Brian P. Kemp Governor Spencer R. Moore Commissioner

MEMORANDUM

TO: DDS-approved Ignition Interlock Provider Centers and Manufacturers

FR: Michael Mitchell, Regulatory Compliance Division Director

DA: March 27, 2020

RE: Temporary Extension for Ignition Interlock Monitoring and Reporting

The Georgia Department of Driver Services ("DDS") recognizes that the current circumstances surrounding COVID-19 and the resulting public health emergency may cause difficulty or delay for customers trying to comply with the statutorily mandated 30-day reporting requirement pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 42-8-112(c).

For this reason, a temporary modification extending the 30 days to 60 days has been approved to allow customers more time to report for monitoring at a provider center without the penalty of noncompliance.

This temporary extension is effective beginning March 25, 2020 and expires at the conclusion of the Public Health State of Emergency declared in Governor Brian Kemp's Executive Order No. 03.14.20.01.

Please assist us in our effort to accommodate customers and your staff during this time by abiding by this temporary extension. Non-Compliance Reports should not be submitted for customers who do not report for monitoring every 30 days. Any additional administrative changes will be further communicated by DDS at a later date.

You may visit our website at <u>dds.georgia.gov</u> for extension FAQ information. As always, we encourage all customers to use DDS Online Services and/or the mobile DDS 2 GO app for other licensing needs. If there are any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the Regulatory Compliance Division at <u>reginfo@dds.ga.gov</u> or 678.413.8745.

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